Los Angeles County Community & Senior Services

Long-Term Care Strategic Plan for the Aged and Disabled: 2003-2006

Assuring Independence, Dignity and Choice.

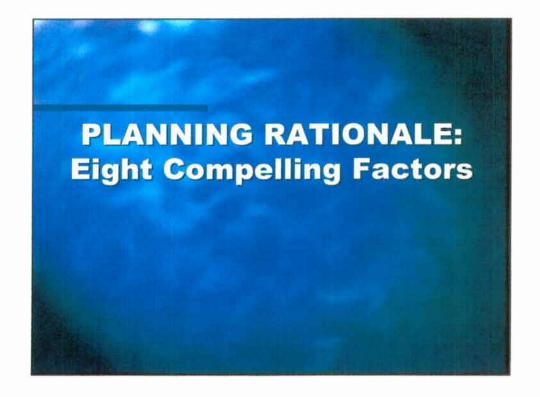
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November 20, 2002

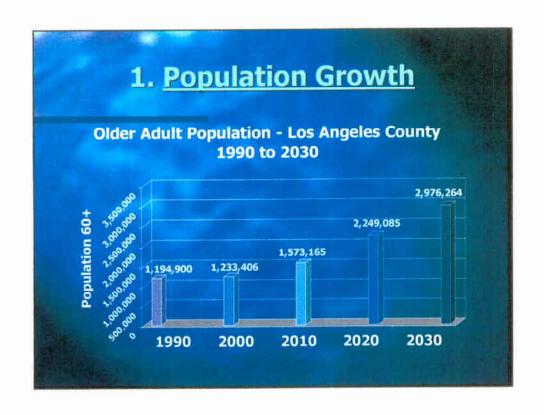
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Phase I:

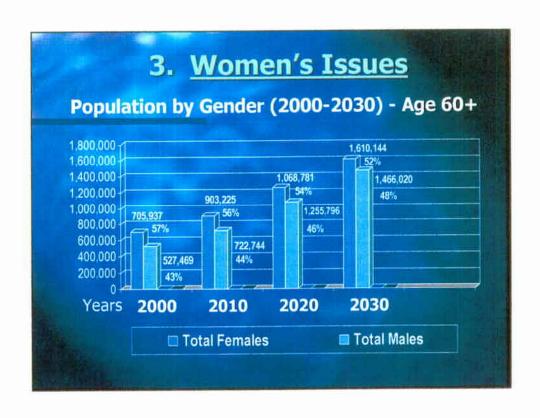
Develop Long-Term Care Strategic
Plan to prepare Los Angeles County
for future "age wave" by building
framework for Long-Term Care system
that embraces independence, dignity,
and choice.



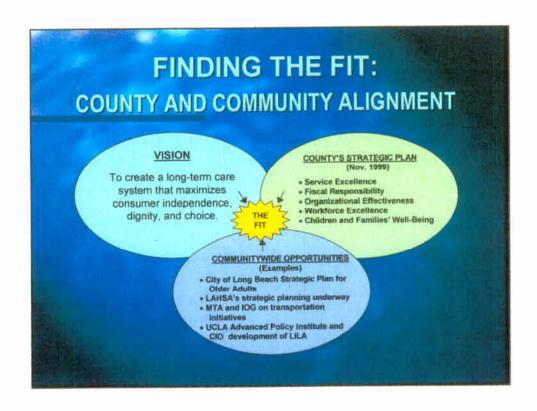








- 4. Life Expectancy
- 5. Quality of Life
- 6. Fragmented Service Delivery
- 7. Institutional Capacity
- 8. Financial Resources





SELECT GOALS & OBJECTIVES

Goal #1: Stimulate the Coordination of Long-Term Care Services

Objective 1.1.2 – Year 1, Establish a Long Term Care Coordinating Council composed of county, provider, community, and consumer representatives to help advise, implement, and monitor progress on long term care strategic planning and implementation.

Goal #2: Advance Health Care Services

Objective 2.2.1 – Year 1, Specify requirements for enhanced information system to improve client self-navigation and electronic access to health care-related Long-Term Care information.

Goal #5: Progress Caregiver & Kinship Services

Objective 5.3.2 – Year 3, Develop and implement a program within the Los Angeles County government workforce to assess County employee caregiver needs and link with caregiver services.

Goal #6: Grow Housing Services

Objective 6.4.1 – Year 2, Develop a rent-toprevent-eviction program that specifically targets at-risk older adults and adults with disabilities.

Goal #7: Strengthen Transportation Services

Objective 7.2.1 – Year 3, Prepare a comprehensive, rapidly updateable (internet) database and associated marketing plan to inform the public about transportation services available to older adults and adults with disabilities that can be shared with health care, social service, and mental health providers.

Implementation: Phase II

(3 Year horizon)

- Alignment Develop implementation plan and strategic budget; align county and community-wide collaborative ventures (e.g., integrate with existing projects/initiatives)
- Coordination Establish infrastructure to coordinate and facilitate implementation; County Department lead; inter/intradepartmental teams; Long-Term Care Coordinating Council
- Approach Balance short-term activities (low- hanging fruit) and long-term activities (likely to generate substantial change)

Accountability and Implementation Resources -

Incorporate responsibility and resources needed to successfully implement each objective; detailed action plans must be developed.

Evaluation of Results – Evaluate ongoing progress and results; need a useful roadmap for the future.

Annual Refinement of the Strategic Plan – Redefine subsequent year's goals and objectives; flexibility is key.

TIMELINE

- November 27, 2002
 - Finalize Strategic Plan
- December 2002
 - Process Strategic Plan for BOS submission
- January 2003
 - Expect BOS approval

What are your expectations for the future of long-term care services?

"To become a reality"

Quote from consumer at Community Forums convened June 2002